THE fellow who knows exactly vhat President Cleveland's message o Congress will contain is beginning to be careful about giving out

Stop talking hard times and let will pay his debts and do business s of yore there will be no stringency it provided:

THE country fairs this season

THERE are indications that the Republicans propose trying to make Corporal" Tanner the scape-goat or much of the pension crookedess that is being exposed.

and finding it difficult to fill the Sueme Court vacancy is all bosh. emocrats competent to adorn the upreme Court, and perfectly willg, too, to do it.

REPUBLICAN editors who ck-sure that the Democrats in ongress are going to abandon tariff form should stop generalizing on at subject and name one single ominent Democrat who advocates pandonment of tariff reform.

some of the large cities throughose of St. Louis remain solid. anking in St. Louis is conducted

WE are sure that the charges made ainst the parents of two children this county will be thoroughly vestigated. Mr. and Mrs. Hein-ugh are charged with starving eir infant child to death, while . Wheeler stands charged with death of his child from a similar use and also with terrible indigni-

ge we think worthy of acting upon. up with the church the enter-

ise will be a success. THERE appears to be some differce of opinion among the LEDGER's rrespondents in reference to the nducting of funerals. In our binion the grave yard is not the ace for an exhibition of grief and rrow. In a great many countries e ladies do not attend the body to e grave and only such gentlemen are necessary to take care of the mains go. In some countries no latives attend the funeral, only the all bearers going. If an extended isplay of grief and sorrow is ought proper, the services at the ave should be extended from day day and the length of time should determined in proportion to the orrow felt on account of the death

THE St. Louis Republic editorially sys: A Mr. X. C., who seems to e trying to think of something, rites in the Mexico (Mo.) LEDGE2 hat the Republic is not strong nough on silver for him. And then e names Stewart of Nevada as a nan who will do valiant service for he people. X. C., you are sliding ut into the trackless plains of othingism. The Republic is on the Democratic platform. Stewart is the proprietor of a Legislature and a sel-er of bullion.

The Republic showed yesterday, n the authority of John Sherman, hat Stewart said in 1891: "Free oinage is impracticable. It is all nonsense, and the men are dishonst who want it." He cared not a dime's worth for the coinage of silver into money if he could sell bullion to the Government. His bimet-allism is not as deep as a freckle. Of course he and others who are churning at public opinion to get up less enthusiastic triendship for the Western masses. But when the battle of the people gets under such leadership a deal with the tariffites will be quickly made and legislation

will consist principally of subsidies. The country has been forced into a bad purchase system. Suspend the Sherman act and pass a coinage

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COINAGE LEGISLATION.

Ex-State Senator Heaston Traces the Development of Silver and Gold.

BETHANY, Mo., July 25 .- At this time, when the discussion of the silver question is so prominent, the following brief synopsis of the legislation of Congress in reference to the coinage of gold and silver should be interesting and instructive:

ago, entitled "An act establishing a mint and regulating the coins of the United States." Among other things

"Sec. 9. That there shall be of \$5. from time to time struck and coined broughout the country are proving at the said mint coins of gold, silver most prosperous. It is too bad that and copper of the following denomilexico could not have been in the nations, values and description, viz. : Eagles-each to be of the value of ten dollars or units, and to contain 247 grains and four-eighths of a grain Money is just as plenty in the the only gold coins provided for). "Dollars or units-each to be of the lows: value of the Spanish milled dollar as nly put it into circulation the the same is now current, and to con- for both gold and silver coins of the hronic talk of hard times would tain 371 grains and four-sixteenths

of standard silver" (and also pro- pure metal and 100 alloy; and the ter dollars, dismes and half dismes. to contain respectively one-half, oneas much silver as the dollar or unit). shall exceed one-tenth of the whole "Sec. 11. That the proportion. alloy. al value of gold to silver in all coins

WE notice that while the banks with one pound weight of pure gold, piece and a double eagle or a twenty- more fair if he had said he was fall almost dead. He would not let a very puny, weakly child an I will

spective metals." d there is no danger of any fail- to 1 part alloy of silver and copper, when ot less weight shall be of and the silver not to be more than proper proportion.

for the parts of a dollar. cerning gold coins, provided that the ers of that church have expressed gold coins should contain metal as emselves to us as in favor of this follows: Each eagle shall contain ovement and will give liberally of 232 grains of pure gold and 258 eir time and money. We think grains of standard gold, and the halt at if the Business Men's Associa- eagle and quarter eagle shall conon of Mexico will take this mat- tain one-half and one-fourth said amounts, and shall be legal tender

> weight in like proportion. Here it will be noticed the weight of the gold coins was reduced, and has since remained of the weight

specified in the law of 1884. The act of January 18, 1837, continued the gold coins as above, and provided that the silver dollar should be of the weight of 4121 grains, and the half dollar, quarter dollar, dime and half dime should be in proportion thereto, and that both gold and silver coins should be of nine-tenths pure metal and one-tenth alloy, and that all such coins when of full weight should be legal tender of payments according to their nom-

inal value for any sums whatever. The act of March 3, 1849, provid ed for coining the double eagle and one-dollar gold piece. This was the

Hon. Wm. S. Warner Cordially Endorses Hood's



"I can truly say that I consider Hood's Sarsa-parilia the best medicine for purifying the blood. It did me good when physicians and other medi

## Sarsaparilla CURES Scarce.

ized and introduced into our coin- ments to be added which were non-

In 1851 President Fillmore in his and a com mittee of conference was silver coins were too heavy, and Hooper were chief manipulators, were in consequence taken out of and it was finally passed as copied the country, and recommended that without division in either house, they be reduced in weight.

The act of February 21, 1853, bers knowing its venomous characprovided that the half dollar, or ter, and afterwards the country piece of 50 cents, shall be 192 grains, waked up to the fact that the unit The first law of Congress was the and that the quarter dollar, dime of value had been fraudulently. act of April 2, 1792, over 100 years and half dime, respectively, shall surreptitiously changed, and a vast be one-half, one-fifth and one-tenth majority of the people have since of the weight of the half dollar, and been asking to have the wrong rightthat such coins should be legal ten- ed, but have only realized fraududers at their nominal value for sums lent makeshifts.

An act was passed in 1851 for the Director of the Mint, made a report was to be a legal tender for sums of on the production and coinage of legal tender for sums of 60 cents. The act of February 12, 1873, was report is a table giving the average

gold" (and half eagles and quarter amending the laws relative to the eagles to contain half and quarter mints, assay offices and coinage of time from 1834 to 1872 was silver human treatment, but that he has the amount of gold, and these were the United States." The main provisions of present interest are as fol-"Sec. 13. That the standard

parts of a grain of pure or 416 grains 1,000 parts by weight 900 shall be vided for coining half dollars, quar- alloy of the silver coins shall be of coins shall be of copper, or of copper ourth, one-tenth and one-twentieth and silver; but the silver in no case

quantity in weight of pure gold or unit of value; a quarter eagle, or pure silver; that is to say, every 15 two and a half dollar piece, a threepounds' weight of pure silver shall dollar piece, a half eagle or five-doloe of equal value in all payments lar piece, an eagle or ten-dollar coins should have 11 parts pure gold legal tender for all payments, and

any one payment." a legal tender to the amount of 25

of gold, silver or minor coinage, when of full weight for \$10, \$5 and shall hereafter be issued from the \$2.50, respectively, and when of less mint other than those of the denominations and weights herein set forth "

> This is the substance of the act of 1873, the cause of our financial troubles, the Iliad of all our woes. It will be noticed that the standard and imprinted on the outer edge are the words. "One Hundred Cents. One Dollar or Unit," showing that it was the idea and object of the College, Fulton, was in Mexico tofathers of the Republic to make the day on business and made the LEDsilver dollar the unit or real measure GER a pleasant call. Westminster of values in the nation. Let us is one of Missouri's most popular

irst time the gold dollar was author- look a little more into the history and successful colleges and we are of this act of 1873. Samuel Hooper, glad to know that it is now in a of Massachusetts, was chairman of most prosperous condition. the Committee on Coins, Weights and Measures in 1872 and introduced a bill in reference to coinage, as in a minute than many wise men he said, to simplify the laws and can repair in years. drop the useless 20-cent piece and 2-cent piece etc. The bill as he introduced it, and as it passed the House, retained the standard silver dollar, but reduced its weight to 384 grains. On April 9, 1872, Mr. Hooper called up his bill, and in the course of his speech called attention to the provision, "reducing the weight of silver dollar from 412 to 384 grains, thus making it a subsidiary coin in harmony with the silver coins of less denominations to secure its concurrent circulation with them." He further said "that the silver dollar of 412 % grains, by reason of its bullion or intrinsic value, long since ceased to be a coin of circulation, and is

> It was not then urged that the silver dollar lacked intrinsic value, or that too many were coined, but upon the contrary, that it was a long-legged dollar and was too

When the bill went to the Senate act according to the Democratic brue." W. S. Wanner, Fond Du Lac, Wis.

Programme laid down in the plat
Mood's Pills cure Construction by restor
of John Sherman, the prince of Hood's Pills cure Constitution by restoring the periodicitie action of the atimentary canal, jugglers, who caused several amendporton. Here, for less medical wisk published.

Awful Accusation.

message to Congress stated that our appointed of which Sherman and DID ROB'T WHEELER'S CRUELTY CAUSE THE DEATH OF HIS CHILD? and perhaps without a dozen mem-

> The Corpse Disinterred and a Cor ner's Inquest Held-The Mother's Awful Story.

Coronor J. R. Fritts returned from Boone county Thursday, where he went to hold an inquest in connection with C. V. Bicknall, Coroner of for abusing his wife." On April 28, 1890, Mr. Leech. Boone county, over the dead body coinage of the 3-cent piece, which to the Secretary of the Treasury of the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wheeler. The result was 30 cents and under. And in 1865 the precious metals, which report that the father was ordered arrested, it was amended so as to make it was published by authority of Con-charged with causing the infant's gress. On page 246 of this printed death.

of pure or 270 grains of standard entitled "An act revising and price of bar silver in London each evidence that her husband not only \$1.30 per ounce, in 1872 being at times declaring he would kill her. quoted at \$1 32, or 3 per cent above HER EVIDENCE AT THE INQUEST.

gold. On page 248 the commercial Mrs. Sallie Wheeler, the mother of ratio of silver to gold is given tor the deceased child, testified that she United States shall be such that of each year for the last 200 years, was 24 years of age and had been and at no time for 200 years prior married to Robert Wheeler 2 years. to 1872 is silver quoted at less than She said her little child was 4 months 14 to 1 and never as high as 16 to old when it died on July 18th, its copper, and the alloy of the gold 1, hence there was no cause at that demise having taken place at the time for striking down silver on ac- home of her father, Mr. Robert Blanton, in Boone County. She said her Mr. Carlisle is reported as saying husband told her before the child that prior to 1873 there had been was born that he would not buy it untrue, and I do not believe she will "Sec. 14. That the gold coins but little more than \$8,000,000 of anything or treat it well, especially which shall by law be current as of the United states shall be a one-silver coined, but since that time if it was a girl. After its birth he very much and may have such an money within the United States dollar piece, which, at the standard more than \$350,000,000 have been treated it in a horrible manner. He influence over her that she will, but shall be as 15 to 1, according to weight of 25.8 grains, shall be the coined. Then under that view would take it by the nose and hold I will not believe it till I have heard there was no occasion in 1873 to it, thus smothering it until it was her. She left my home about a demonetize, disgrace or dishonor almost unconscious. At other times week before the child died. When Mr. Carlisle might have been up and slap it so hard that it would health. It was during its whole life and so in proportion as to any dollar piece." It then provided that referring to the coinage of silver me interfere. He told me if I would be able to prove that it died of at the United States are failing, greater or less quantities of the re- the weight of the other coins shall be dollars only. For referring to Mr. leave the house he would not treat summer complaint. She did not the proper multiple of the dollar, Leech's report we find the United it so badly. He would then throw nurse it and we were compelled to Sec. 12. Provided that gold and shall when of full weight be a States coinage up to 1873 was as the child in the cradle and never did devoted to the ladar and when of full weight be a devoted to the ladar and when of full weight be a states coinage up to 1873 was as the child in the cradle and never did devoted to the ladar and when of full weight be a ladar and design in life." \$816,905,878 he would go on with his meanness. s145,141,884 While I was out of the house I would was informed. She had the child words passed and Hunter, it is said, unfairness to Mr. Clark, and it canout the sweat of the brows? "Sec. 15. That the silver coins Prior to 1873 the conutry was scream and he was afraid the neigh-Sec. 13. Provided that silver of the United States shall be a getting along fairly well with the bors would hear me. He would tell not informed of its sickness or death

coins should have 1,485 parts silver trade dollar, a half a dollar or 50-cent double standard. There had been me if I did not hush that he would until the next day after its burial. to 179 parts alloy, the alloy to be piece, a quarter dollar or 25 cent no public demand to strike down kill me and the baby too. One night If there were any evidences of violpiece, a dime or 10 cent piece; and silver as dangerous. No legislature, about 2 o'clock he acted in this way, ence upon its body as claimed by In February, 1793, an act was the weight of the trade dollar shall political convention, social club, getting up, and after dressing he the Coronor it received them after passed regulating the value of for- be 420 grains Troy, the weight of religious conferences, base ball would go out of the house. I asked she took it from our home. eign coins, which provided that the half dollar shall be 12 grammes club or debating societies had pass- him what he was doing and he said I have no doubt but I will be able Spanish milled dollars of not less and one-half of a gramme; the ed resolutions asking Congress to that he was planning a way to kill to prove satisfactorily my innocence weight than 17 pennyweights and 7 quarter dollar and the dime shall demonetize silver. Then why was me and the g—d d—n young one. grains should be legal tender in any be respectively one-half and one- it done secretly and sneakingly? He said he was going to Centralia to things imputed to me. In fact, the you wrapped around a bullet." payment of all debts and demands fifth of the weight of said half dol- No doubt John Sherman could get a gun for this purpose. The prosecution will have no testimony at the rate of \$1, and in proportion lar, and said coins shall be a legal answer this question if he wanted day I left for my father's he got on that I ever treated the child other tender at their nominal value for to do so. His statement now that his borse and left and I went walk. wise than kindly, I earnestly hope The act of June 28, 1834, con- any amount not exceeding \$5 in he would like to see the two metals ing behind him with my baby and that the public will not judge me maintained at a parity will deceive its clothes. He went to Mr. Sum- before my trial. My wife's father Section 16 makes the 5 cent no one who knows that when they mer's and asked for a gun. Mr. has begun a suit against me for piece or a nickel, a 3-cent piece and have been maintained upon equali- Summers asked him what he want- everything I have, and not a 1-cent piece the minor coins and ty without a riffle for 80 years he ed with it and he said he wanted to only what little property I struck down silver without cause go squirrel hunting. On the 4th of have but my reputation and life or excuse. The friends of silver July we went to Centralia. Miss are now at stake. There seems to now in Congress will be worse than Mattie Barkwell accompanied us, be a disposition on the part of party, had the choice of weapons, dolts if they permit unconditional going on my husband's invitation. some to condemn me before my

> and the child. Mrs. Wheeler said on one occas-The Mexico Ledger's Trades Edi- ion her husband got up at 2 o'clock tion was received at this office to. in the night and threatened her and silver dollar is dropped, and for the day. It is a very creditable issue the baby's life, and that he took and is another evidence that what- hold of the little one by the chin and the unit of value. The silver dol- ever Bob White undertakes to do is pressed its headback and chooked it when she had Children, she gave them Castoria. lar is mentioned in the law of 1892 done well and expeditiously. The until it could not cry; then he as the unit of value and the first Trades Edition contains a review of would pinch it to make it cry. "At silver dollar was so stamped. I Audrain County and the progressive another time," said Mrs. Wheeler, have a silver dollar of date 1800 city of Mexico. It is a credit to the "he laid the child on the floor and, city and county. It is a four page, putting his foot over its head, said: See how easy I could kill the damn little thing and then swear you did

Prof. J. J. Rice, of Westminster it yourself.' " THE VERDICT OF THE JURY. The verdict of the jury was that the child came to its death from bad erate Home in complete working treatment on the part of its father. The jury was as follows: W. H. furnished free to all this year. Brown, M. A. Andrews, E. A. Gay, Meals will be sold on the grounds

A few fools can do more damage J. G. Brown. to Boone county after him. WHEELER IN JAIL.

> the prisoner in a very positive tone. When told that he had not only

been accused of causing his child's death, but of mistreating his wife, he said : "I never beat her, although I was influenced to plead guilty to such a charge before a Justice of the Peace at Thompson Station. I was told that would be the easiest that tired feeling or sick headache? found not guilty. Mrs. Zimmerman's way out of it. I never did whip You can be relieved of all these symphusband, Fred Zimmerman, then had her." When questioned about the toms by taking Hood's Sarsapar- Mr. Harper arrested and fined for death of his child Wheeler said: "I illa, which gives nerve, mental and bodily strength and thoroughly purdid not mistreat it. While I was ifies the blood. It also creates a plowing in the field my wife took good appetite, cures indigestion, the child and went to her folks in heartburn and dyspepsia. Boone county. They never let me

illness nor its death." to that of Lloyd Heinbaugh and rich premiums at the various fairs Rex is a good stallion and will take wife, of Rowens, who are now un- throughout the country and will be a premium over any other stallion

infant born to Mrs. Heinbaugh a

few months after marriage. The Centralia Guard says "that an infant child of Robert Wheeler, of Audrain county, died on the 18th under peculiar circumstances. It is said that Wheeler mistreated his wife, and rumors are afloat that the child died from injuries received at the hands of its father during a quarrel between the parents, when the infant was roughly handled. Doubtless a legal investigation will bring out the facts. Mrs. Wheeler is at the home of her father. Robert Blanton, and it is reported that a Thompson justice fined Wheeler \$25

WHEELER'S STATEMENT.

He Puts Somewhat of a Different Color on The Case.

A LEDGER reporter gave Robert Wheeler some blank paper after he was put in jail Thursday evening and he makes the following statement for publication:

"My wife and I have not gotten along pleasantly since our marriage, and when the proper time comes the public will know why and who is to would be light. I deny that I ever struck her and can prove that she has said I never did. The statement purporting to be hers before the coroner's jury, as published, is

swear to it. Her family dislikes me he would take it and hold it straight she left the child was in its usual live long after first taken sick, as I repeal of the Sherman law without As we returned home that afternoon hearing, but I suppose this may alstruggle, trusting to vague he treated me and the baby outrage- ways be expected from a few

When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria,

to say anything further

all will come out at the trial."

Confederate Reunion. The tenth annual reunion of the ex-Confederate Association of Missouri will take place at the Confederate Home, Higginsville, Mo., Wednesday and Thursday, August 23 and 24. This will be the first opportunity to see the now Confedorder. Tents and straw will be J. P. Hedges, W. B. Blackmer and at 25 cents. Every person attending the reunion this year is requestbooks to start the library with.

Col. Waddingham is arranging to erect four more houses on his section of land near Benton City. This is De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve for scalds, section 5, township 50, range 7, and burns, bruises, skin affections and piles. French & Garrett. is as good land as a crow ever flew

Are You Nerrous Are you all tired out, do you have

Boone county. They never let me Hood's Pills are easy to take, easy know anything about the child's in action and sure in effect. 25c. a

der arrest, charged with sterving an heard from at the World's Fair. in the world.—Auxvasse Review.

"Uphold Clark."

Over in the ninth congressional

Mrs. Kelso's injuries.

lass' home. Miss Lucy Douglass

terribly bruised, yet I do not appre-

MRS. J. M. KELSO.

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is Highest of all in

Young Lexington Men Exchange Shots district there seems to be a desire According to the Code-One Wounded. on the part of a few newspapers

KENTUCKIANS IN A DUEL.

and people to belittle the Hon. Rose Hill seminary last night a speech delivered before Tammany man, "that there is a striking dance was given in honor of Miss Hall on July 4th. Or rather they similitude between John Sherman Alice Greenshaw, a beautiful and accomplished young woman. She was cause. Now the News is not a two distinguished financiers lived in escorted to the party by R. Will ninth district paper, but a good different times. They were both devoted to the lady, and when the with the politics of that district. two men met on the floor angry In this line of duty it can see some

fused in an angry tone.

glove, and was preparing to throw it Champ Clark is a Missourian; true began life poor and they neither lost in Hunter's face when that young to Missouri, her people and her any sleep over theory—it was a conman cried: "Stop; I consider your interests. He speaks for what dition which confronted them. So

and was only prevented from rush-there are heads over there ready and was a great similarity in the life and ing at Hunter by the interference of anxious to bob up for his place in taste of the two gentlemen, but here friends, who feared the scene would Congress, but they have already the road forks. overreach the limits of a challenge. ruined themselves by attempting to "John Sherman's methods were room, and seconds were chosen.

The party at once left the ball- drag down a man who is more than smooth and according to forms of Davis was represented by Blanchard McSimm, and Hunter by Paul Mc- the hands of the people should be exigencies of his condition and the Cow. Hunter, being the challenged the last thing for them to do. The condition of his friends it was bevers. Davis agreed.

At 4 o'clock this morning the come-and set about restoring har- States Treasury in the name of God promise that something will be ously. He said he wished a big rain hot-headed persons when any one is long and good feeling in his dis- and Morality and created 'a little storm would come up and drown me accused of crime. I do not care the Natura Stock farm. At the first trict. As the matter now stands stringency'—that is what Mr. Whitas fire neither was hit, although a bul- no man can get Clark's seat in ney and Mr. Carlisle call it. let went through Hunter's hat.

When the smoke had cleared away to try under the present condition crude. He relied mostly on his Hunter was found to be stretched of affairs. out on the ground with a bullet through his side. He arose, however, and demanded that the fight

This request the seconds refused accident which occured last Sunday get in jail and died poor and joined to consider and the honor of both gets circulated. I will make a true the Hatters. parties was declared vindicated. statement of the matter, that my anything he wants, but he sees Hunter will recover, his injury be- friends may know the extent of the men and things; he has never ing a flesh wound. Both principals and seconds will be arrested.

Has been so highly recommended to us that we have taken the agency for and I were in a buggy and brother it and now ask our friends who are suffering with a cold to give it a trial and if it does not give satisfaction your meney will be refunded. Every bottle is sold on a positive guarantee. Price 50 cents and \$1. Sold by Wooldridge & church we met a vehicle in a very that come to our table. They are

The Mexico Ledger is an evidence Douglass was driving, and in giving hence are sorry to see that they are ed to bring at least one book for of the enterprise of its editor and the road to the other buggy got on a inclined to let the green-eyed monsworn out a warrant for the accused the library. In this way it is hoped proprietor, the "ubiquitous" Bob high place and we turned over. I was ster get the better of their judgeand Deputy Sheriff Stephens went to obtain a very fair collection of White. On July 27, the paper got considerably hurt; besides many ment. Their editorial efforts to out a trade edition which was outward bruises I was hurt intercreditable to the city of Mexico nally, the extent of which, of Champ Clark and, incidentally, to Deputy Sheriff Stephens arrived late that afternoon with the prisoner and he was locked up in the county jail. A Ledger reporter called on him and asked if he had anything to say. "Am not guilty," said the prisoner in a very positive tone.

A High Liver

Legger Reporter Called on him up. Park's Sure cure we sell on a positive guarantee. Price to say. "Am not guilty," said the prisoner in a very positive tone.

A High Liver

Legger Reporter Called on the city of Mexico and the energy of its people. The horse ran into the, surrey break and the energy of its people. The horse ran into the, surrey break ing one wheel and tearing the buggy all to pieces. Mr. Sam Lail brought town by contributing to make the edition 2 success. Mexico's light will not be hidden under a bushel if the Ledger knows its business.

Champ Clark and, incidentally, to course, I could not at that time tell. The horse ran into the, surrey break ing one wheel and tearing the buggy all to pieces. Mr. Sam Lail brought in, will smack so clearly of jealousy and personal dislike that it will rebound upon their own heads to of my ribs are fractured: I am sufif the LEDGER knows its business. of my ribs are fractured; I am suftheir undoing and abashment.

All the talk in the world will not fering a good deal about the region

J. W. Harper, of Rush Hill, who was arrested and charged with slap- out. ping Mrs. Fred Zimmerman, was

## Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

Tom Harrison shipped Rex Denmark to Chicago last Tuesday Rex will be shown in five rings and This case is somewhat similar Mexico's horses are carrying off will take his share of the premiums.

DISTINGUISED FINANCIERS. From the Monroe City Times.

Leavening

Strength.

-U.S. Gov't

Food Report.

John Sherman and John Murrell-Two Noted Johns.

"Do you know," said a well known LEXINGTON, Ky., July 27.-At Champ Clark on account of his attorney this morning to a LEDGER pretend to take that speech as their and the late John Murrell? These

"That was to acquire wealth with-

made some remark about the lady not remain silent, especially when "Their fields of operation were difwhich Davis construed as slighting. it feels the people are with him and ferent. Sherman had a rich field to The result was a demand for an will continue to be with any man work in and strong backing. Murunconditional apology. Hunter re- who "stands up for Missouri" and rell had the early wilds of Tennesrefuses to wear a cellar offered by see as his base of operation and at a Davis immediately pulled off his the plutocrats of New England. time when money was scarce. Both to face political opposition while in distinguished American citizens it Davis was by this time infuriated, the line of duty. It is evident that may be perceived that there

equal. They ought to be ashamed law. He wrote the law himself and of themselves, and asking office at if it failed in any way to meet the best thing they can do is to uphold cause he forgot something. Then Hon. Champ Clark until he makes he wrapped the flag around him and a blunder-which is not apt to marched straight on to the United

Congress by the plan of warfare "Mr. Murrell's methods were not Both demanded a second fire. mapped out and it would be folly so smooth, indeed they were a little gun and was more heroic. If he did not see what he wanted he asked for it, and got it. It is further BACHELOR, Mo., July 27.—Lest said that Mr. Murrell neglected his some very exaggerated report of the prayers, and had the bad taste to

damages. I started to Liberty gotten into jail; neither has he died church from brother Wm. A. Doug- poor, but is calmly waiting for another slice of the pork. Great is

bad place in the road, which, by the edited by gentlemen of ability and The Columbia Statesman says: way, was all bad. Miss Lucy convictions. We admire them and

> Mrs. Mattie Baker, wife of Frazier Baker, died at her home in the State hend anything very serious. I am of California Wednesday. The deable to be up and hope soon to be ceased was a daughter of F. M. Sallee, of this city. She was married about two years since. The re-Born, to Dr. Toalson and wife, a mains will not be brought to Mex-

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